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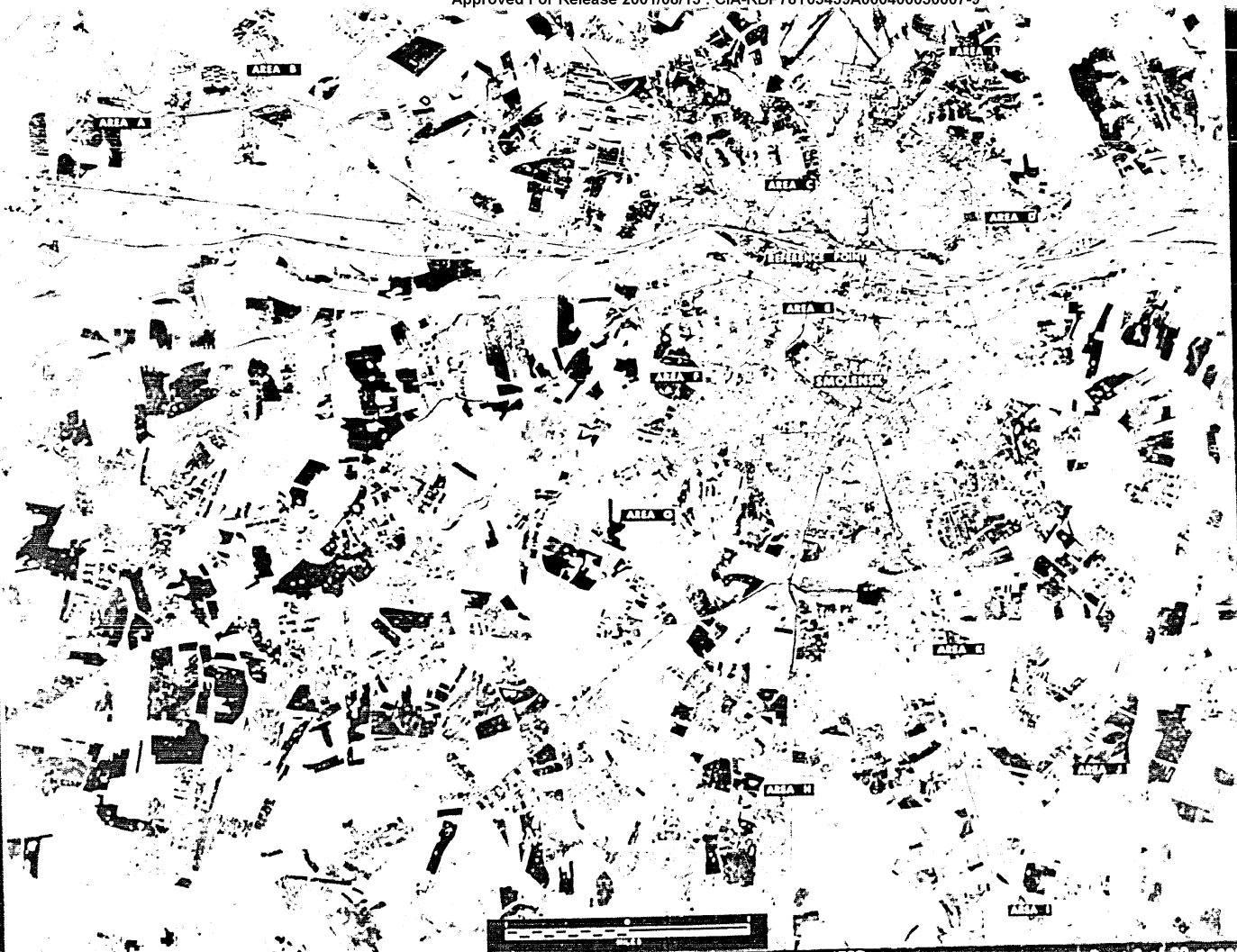


Figure 1. LOCATION of SPECIFIC AREAS, SMOLENSK

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Figure 2. AREA C, AMMUNITION STORAGE AREA Page 6 of 20 pages

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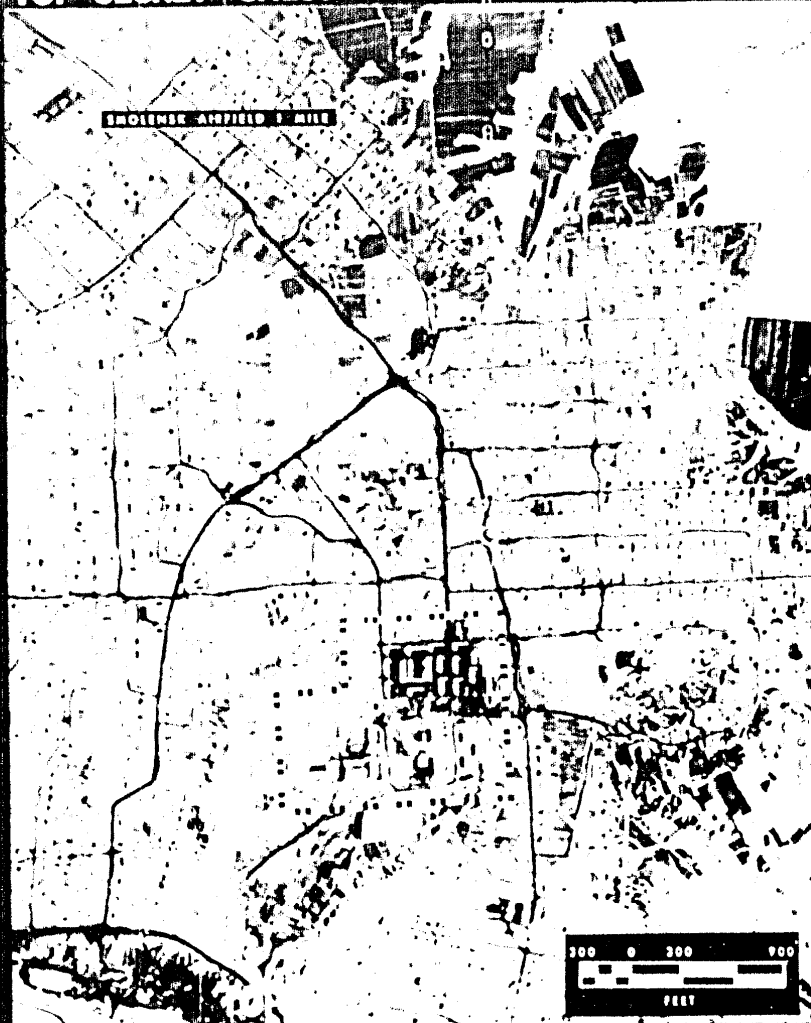


Figure 3. AREA D, POSSIBLE MILITARY BARRACKS AREA

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is not secured, one small section containing 2 buildings is enclosed by a wall with 2 entrances [REDACTED]. The 29 major buildings include 22 barracks, 3 administration, 2 storage, and 2 of undetermined use.

E. Area F, Military Barracks Area (Fig. 4)

Geo Coords 54°47'N 32°02'E

Utm Coords 36UVE380722

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A 35-acre military barracks area is 0.5 mile south of the Reference Point. The installation is served by a network of city streets [REDACTED] and is enclosed by a wall with 1 entrance [REDACTED] feet wide and a guard post located [REDACTED] feet inside the entrance. The area contains the following 11 major buildings: 4 barracks, 1 administration, 4 storage, and 2 of undetermined use.

F. Area F, Military Barracks and Storage Area (Fig. 4)

Geo Coords 54°46'N 32°01'E

Utm Coords 36UVE380710

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One mile south-southwest of the Reference Point is a military barracks and storage area which covers 313 acres and is served by a network of city streets [REDACTED]. Although the entire area is not secured, it has seven separately enclosed areas. An 8-gun heavy anti-aircraft artillery position in the area has three occupied and five unoccupied emplacements. The area includes 114 major buildings of the following types: 22 barracks, 34 storage, 7 administration, 4 maintenance/support, and 47 of undetermined use.

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**Figure 4. AREA E, MILITARY BARRACKS AREA, AREA F,
MILITARY BARRACKS and STORAGE AREA**

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G. Area G, Military Barracks Area (Fig. 5)

Geo Coords 54°46'N 32°00'E

Utm Coords 36UVE370698

Area G is 2 miles south-southwest of the Reference Point, covers 261 acres, and has no visible security measures. It is served by a loose-surfaced, all weather, secondary road [REDACTED] which connects SMOLENSK with MIKH-NOVKA. The internal road network is composed of loose-surfaced, all weather streets [REDACTED]. Extensive construction activity is noted throughout the area, which contains 22 tents and the following 20 major buildings: 3 barracks, 2 administration, 11 storage, 2 maintenance/support, and 2 of undetermined use.

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PI Comment: A comparison of this area with the area in MOSHAYSK shows little or no resemblance. Because SMOLENSK is located 165 miles west-southwest of MOSHAYSK, it is believed that no relationship exists between the 2 areas. See inset to Figure 5.

H. Area H, Military Barracks Area and Antiaircraft Artillery Site (Fig. 6)

Geo Coords 54°44'N 32°02'E

Utm Coords 36UVE390661

Area H is 4 miles south-southeast of the Reference Point and covers 60 acres. The area is served by a loose-surfaced, all weather, secondary highway [REDACTED] which connects the Smolensk-Rumyantsevo highway with STANICHKI.

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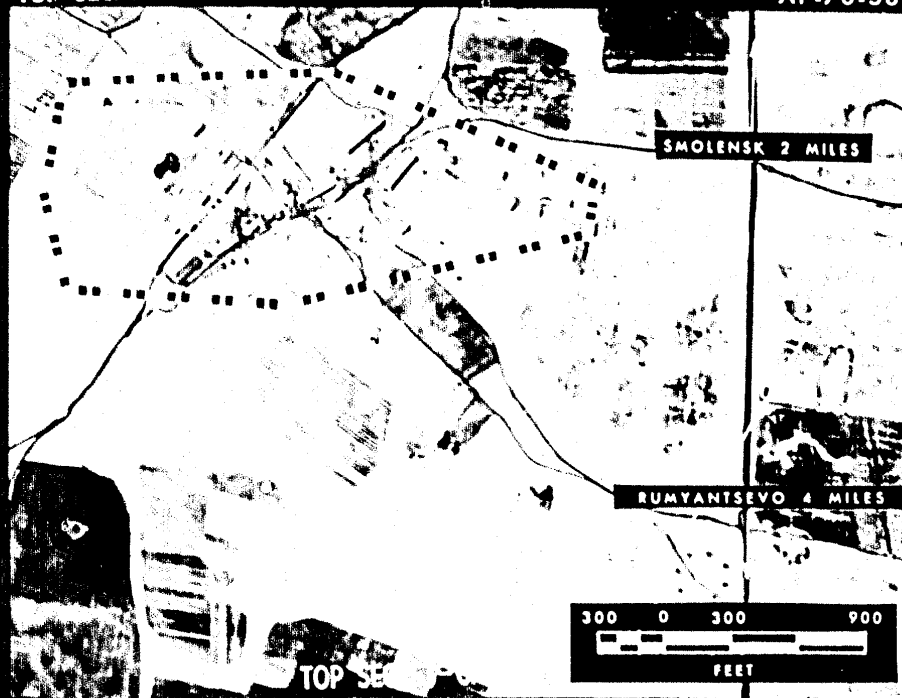


Figure 6. AREA H, MILITARY BARRACKS
AREA and A.A.A. SITE

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The area contains the following 17 major buildings: 10 storage, 2 barracks, 2 administration, 1 maintenance, and 2 of undetermined use. The entire area is not secured, but one small section is enclosed by a single fence. The anti-aircraft artillery position is 2,100 feet southeast of the barracks area.

I. Area I, Vehicle Park (Fig. 7)

Geo Coords 54°43'N 32°06'E

Utm Coords 36UVF420648

This 22-acre vehicle park is 6 miles southeast of the Reference Point. Enclosed by a wall, the area is served by a hard-surfaced, all weather, primary road [REDACTED] which connects SMOLENSK with TOMASHEVSHCHINA. It contains 2 buildings of undetermined use and 154 unidentified objects.

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J. Area J, Military Barracks Area and Anti-aircraft Artillery Site (Fig. 8)

Geo Coords 54°44'N 32°05'E

Utm Coords 36UVF410670

Located 5 miles southeast of the Reference Point, Area J covers 54 acres. It is served by a hard-surfaced, all weather, primary highway [REDACTED] which connects SMOLENSK with TOMASHEVSHCHINA. The area contains 20 tents and the following 20 major buildings: 9 barracks, 9 storage, 1 administration, and 1 vehicle maintenance. Although the entire area is not secured, it has two separately enclosed areas. The anti-aircraft artillery position is 4,000 feet east of the barracks area.

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Figure 7 AREA I,
VEHICLE PARK

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TOMASHESHCINA 6 MILES

SMOLENSK 2 MILES

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feet

K. Area K, Smolensk Airfield, North
(Fig. 1)

Geo Coords 54°49'N 32°02'E

Utm Coords 36UUF380750

Smolensk Airfield, North, is 2 miles north of the Reference Point. It has a northeast-southwest concrete runway 6,000' x 160' and a northwest-southeast concrete runway 3,900' x 160'. The latter runway is scarred by bomberaters, but these have been filled in and the runway is serviceable. At the time of photography, 1 BADGER-type bomber and 12 CAB-type transports were parked at the airfield. Details on this airfield have been given previously in the following reports:

Navy NF-P-43, date unknown
(TSC)

Air Force Detailed Photo Intelligence Report 104, dated December 1956 (TSC)

SAC-1 Detailed Photo Intelligence Report 205, dated 19 July 1957 (TSC)

Navy Summary Photo Intelligence Report 43, dated October 1956
(TSC)

L. Area L, Smolensk Airfield, South
(Fig. 1)

Geo Coords 54°45'N 32°04'E

Utm Coords 36UUF400678

Smolensk Airfield, South, is 4 miles southeast of the Reference Point and has a sod-surfaced landing area 4,000' x 4,000'. At the time of photography, 10 light liaison-type aircraft were parked at the airfield. Details on this airfield have been given previously in the following reports:

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Navy Summary Photo Intelligence
Report 375, dated 16 July 1957
(TSC)

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1957 (TSC)

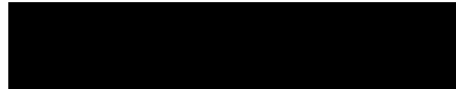
III. SUMMARY

The photography used for this report revealed none of those training facilities and items of equipment normally associated with and indicative of a combat-type military unit. This report contains information on military logistical installations to include barracks, ammunition and storage areas, and a vehicle park. Two antiaircraft artillery sites and two airfields have also been reported. No relationship can be established between the military area in SMOLENSK designated in SRI-143-1-58, and the reportedly similar area under construction in MOZHAYSK.

IV. REFERENCES

A. Photos

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B. Maps

AMS Series N501, 1:250,000,
sheet NN 36-5, Smolensk, USSR

AMS Series N501, 1:250,000,
sheet NN 36-4, Olsha, USSR

US Air Target Chart Series 100,
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Smolensk, USSR

C. Collateral Material

As noted in paragraphs II K and
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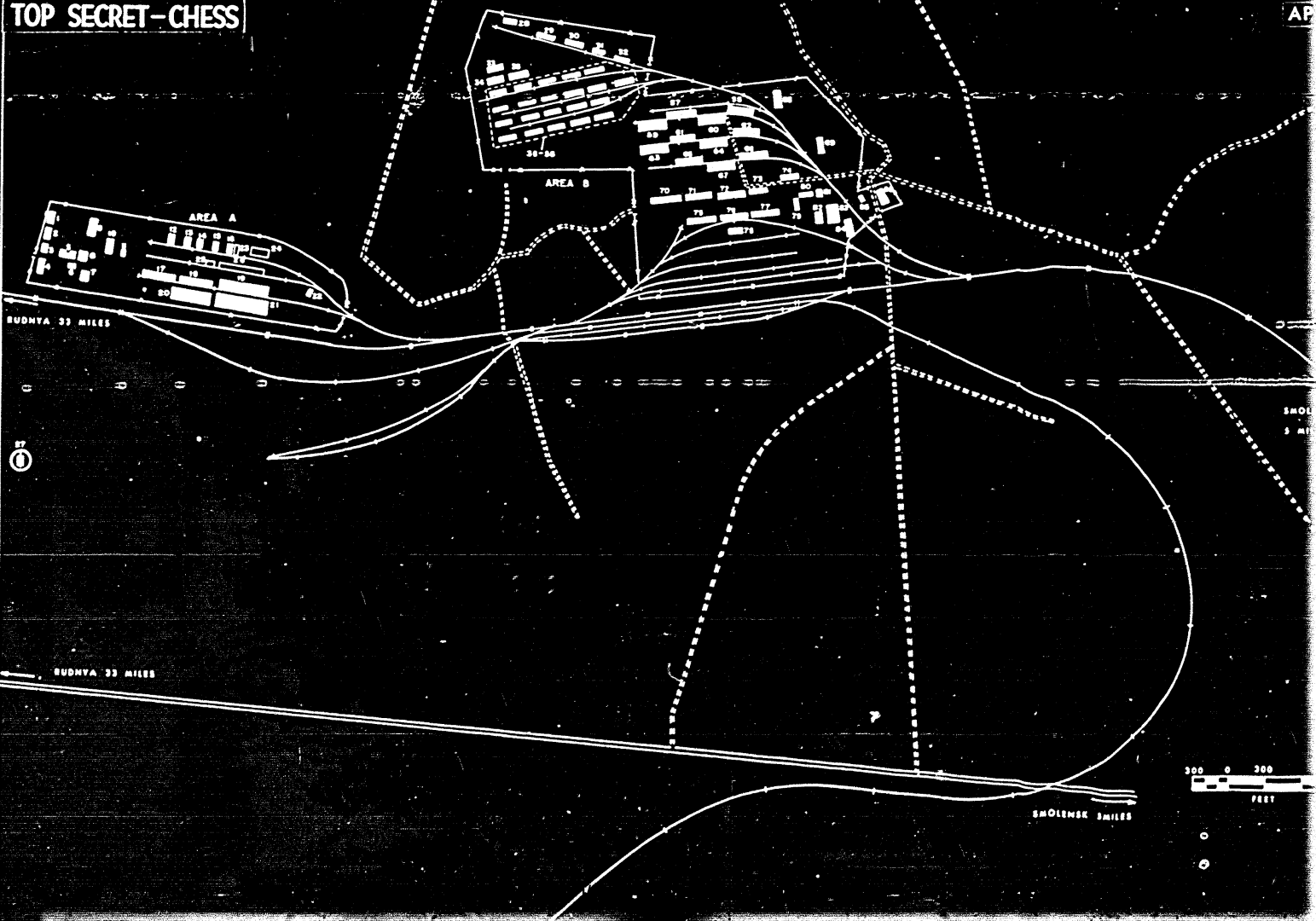
1. Buildings

Item	Description & Possible Use
1-2	1-storied, use undetermined
3	1-storied, use undetermined
4	1-storied, storage
5	2-storied, U-shaped, administration
6	1-storied, use undetermined
7	2-storied, storage
8	2-storied, storage
9	2-storied, storage
10	2-storied, administration
11	1-storied, use undetermined
12-16	2-storied, storage
17-18	2-storied, storage
19	2-storied, storage
20	2-storied, storage
21	2-storied, storage
22	1-storied, use undetermined
2.	Other Items of Interest
23	Stack of unidentified supplies
24	Stack of unidentified supplies
25	Stack of unidentified supplies
26	Stack of unidentified supplies
27	8-gun heavy antiaircraft position, circular pattern, unoccupied

Base
Wings

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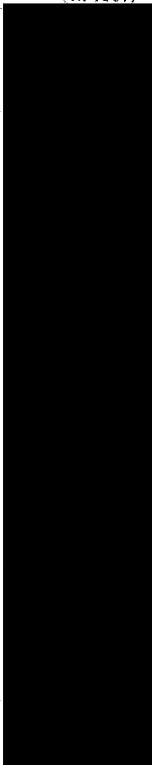
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Annex A (cont'd)

Area B

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Buildings

Item	Description & Possible Use	Dimensions (In feet)
28	1-storied, storage	
29-30	1-storied, storage	
31-32	1-storied, storage	
33-35	2-storied, storage	
36-56	1-storied, storage	
57-60	2-storied, storage	
61	2-storied, storage	
62-67	2-storied, storage	
68	2-storied, storage	
69	2-storied, administration	
70-72	2-storied, storage	
73	2-storied, storage	
74	Multistoried, administration	
75-77	2-storied, storage	
78	1-storied, use undetermined	
79	1-storied, use undetermined	
80	2-storied, use undetermined	
81	2-storied, use undetermined	
82	2-storied, use undetermined	
83	Multistoried, administration	
84	2-storied, use undetermined	
85	1-storied, use undetermined	
86	2-storied, administration	

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